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TITLE OF INVENTION: ELECTRICAL DRIVE SYSTEM WITH DRIVE NETWORKS, INTERCOMMUNICATION NETWORKS AND MULTI-LINK-CONTROLLER

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